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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 22, 2003, applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following remarks.

REMARKS

Claims 1-13 are currently pending in the instant application. Favorable reconsideration of the application in view of the remarks contained herein is respectfully requested.

The rejection of claims 1-13 under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) over Molloy (U.S. Patent No. 5,787,234) in view of Ferrel *et al.* (U.S. Patent No. 5,907,837, hereinafter "Ferrel") is